

# **DRUG ABUSE WARNING NETWORK DETAILED EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT (ED) TABLES 2000**

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Beginning with the *1998 Detailed ED Tables*, a few tables have been assigned new numbers.

Shortened table titles are listed in this Table of Contents to help readers quickly locate data of interest. Another listing of [Tables in Numeric Order with References to Table Numbers in DAWN Annual Reports Prior to 1998](#), which includes the full text of table titles, is provided to help users easily match these tables to similar tables in previous DAWN "Annual" ED reports.

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#### **SAMPLING & PRECISION**

This group of tables provides information by metropolitan area on the sample and measures of precision associated with these data.

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**DRUG ABUSE EPISODES BY DEMOGRAPHIC & EPISODE CHARACTERISTICS**

This group of tables presents cross-tabulations of estimates of patient demographic and ED episode characteristics for the total coterminous U.S. and for the 21 metropolitan areas oversampled in DAWN. No statistical tests are shown.

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**Episode Characteristics by Demographics**

These tables provide the percentage distribution of drug abuse episodes for selected episode characteristics (i.e., drug concomitance, drug use motive, reason for ED contact, patient disposition, and facility location) by gender, race/ethnicity, and age.

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**Data Table****RSE Table**

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<a href="#">2.04b</a>	By age: White females .....	<a href="#">RSE-2.04b</a>
<a href="#">2.04c</a>	By age: Black males .....	<a href="#">RSE-2.04c</a>
<a href="#">2.04d</a>	By age: Black females .....	<a href="#">RSE-2.04d</a>
<a href="#">2.04e</a>	By age: Hispanic males .....	<a href="#">RSE-2.04e</a>
<a href="#">2.04f</a>	By age: Hispanic females .....	<a href="#">RSE-2.04f</a>

**DEMOGRAPHIC & EPISODE CHARACTERISTICS BY SELECTED DRUG GROUPS**

This group of tables presents cross-tabulations of estimates of ED episodes and mentions for selected drugs by demographic and episode characteristics for the total coterminous U.S. and for the 21 metropolitan areas oversampled in DAWN. No statistical tests are shown.

Tables 2.07 through 2.10 show data tallied across all listed drug groups *within* the demographic category of interest. For example, the number and percent of mentions for selected drugs are tallied separately for each age group (Table 2.09). In contrast, Tables 2.11 through 2.18 show data tallied separately for each drug *across* the demographic categories of interest. For example, the percent distribution of mentions for each listed drug is tallied across age groups (Table 2.12).

**Demographics, Total U.S.**

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**Episode Characteristics, Total U.S.**

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**Demographics, Total U.S. & 21 Metropolitan Areas**

Tables 3.01 through 3.22 present estimates of total ED episodes and mentions of specific drugs by age, race/ethnicity, and gender for the total coterminous U.S. and the 21 DAWN metropolitan areas.

3.01	Total coterminous U.S. ....	RSE-3.01
3.02	Atlanta .....	RSE-3.02
3.03	Baltimore .....	RSE-3.03
3.04	Boston .....	RSE-3.04
3.05	Buffalo .....	RSE-3.05
3.06	Chicago .....	RSE-3.06
3.07	Dallas .....	RSE-3.07
3.08	Denver .....	RSE-3.08
3.09	Detroit.....	RSE-3.09
3.10	Los Angeles-Long Beach.....	RSE-3.10
3.11	Miami-Hialeah.....	RSE-3.11
3.12	Minneapolis-St. Paul.....	RSE-3.12
3.13	New Orleans.....	RSE-3.13
3.14	New York.....	RSE-3.14
3.15	Newark .....	RSE-3.15
3.16	Philadelphia .....	RSE-3.16
3.17	Phoenix .....	RSE-3.17
3.18	St. Louis .....	RSE-3.18
3.19	San Diego.....	RSE-3.19
3.20	San Francisco.....	RSE-3.20
3.21	Seattle .....	RSE-3.21
3.22	Washington, DC .....	RSE-3.22

**Facility Location, 21 Metropolitan Areas**

Table 3.23 presents estimates of total ED episodes and mentions of specific drugs by location inside or outside the central cities of the metropolitan areas represented in DAWN.

3.23	Episodes and mentions by central city/outside central city.....	RSE-3.23
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## Data Table

## RSE Table

### POPULATION-BASED RATES FOR TOTAL U.S. & 21 METROPOLITAN AREAS

Table 3.24 presents the rate of ED drug abuse episodes and mentions of common illicit drugs per 100,000 population by metropolitan area, gender, and age. The table also shows the total population on which the rates were based. This table was previously located in Appendix I where it was numbered I-1. No statistical tests are shown.

3.24	Total coterminous U.S. ....	RSE-3.24
	Atlanta	
	Baltimore	
	Boston	
	Buffalo	
	Chicago	
	Dallas	
	Denver	
	Detroit	
	Los Angeles-Long Beach	
	Miami-Hialeah	
	Minneapolis-St. Paul	
	New Orleans	
	New York	
	Newark	
	Philadelphia	
	Phoenix	
	St. Louis	
	San Diego	
	San Francisco	
	Seattle	
	Washington, DC	
	National Panel	

### 4-YEAR TRENDS

Tables in this group present estimated numbers of ED drug abuse episodes and drug mentions for the most recent 4 years of DAWN ED data. One column in each table shows the results of statistical tests comparing the difference in estimates from this year to the year before. The significance levels are shown for differences that were statistically significant at less than the 0.05 level. Differences that are not statistically significant are denoted "N.S."

#### Drug Abuse Episodes, Total U.S.

4.01	By demographics .....	RSE-4.01
4.02	By episode characteristics .....	RSE-4.02
4.03	By selected drug groups .....	RSE-4.03
4.04	By metropolitan area.....	RSE-4.04

**Data Table****RSE Table****Mentions of Common Illicit Drugs, Total U.S. & 21 Metropolitan Areas**

4.05a	Cocaine .....	RSE-4.05a
4.05b	Heroin/morphine .....	RSE-4.05b
4.05c	Marijuana/hashish.....	RSE-4.05c

**Demographics & Selected Drug Groups by Metropolitan Area**

The following tables present 4-year trends in the distribution of drug abuse episodes by patient demographic characteristics and of selected drug group mentions for the 21 DAWN metropolitan areas.

4.06a	Atlanta .....	RSE-4.06a
4.06b	Baltimore .....	RSE-4.06b
4.06c	Boston .....	RSE-4.06c
4.06d	Buffalo .....	RSE-4.06d
4.06e	Chicago .....	RSE-4.06e
4.06f	Dallas .....	RSE-4.06f
4.06g	Denver.....	RSE-4.06g
4.06h	Detroit.....	RSE-4.06h
4.06i	Los Angeles-Long Beach.....	RSE-4.06i
4.06j	Miami-Hialeah.....	RSE-4.06j
4.06k	Minneapolis-St. Paul .....	RSE-4.06k
4.06l	New Orleans.....	RSE-4.06l
4.06m	New York.....	RSE-4.06m
4.06n	Newark .....	RSE-4.06n
4.06o	Philadelphia .....	RSE-4.06o
4.06p	Phoenix .....	RSE-4.06p
4.06q	St. Louis .....	RSE-4.06q
4.06r	San Diego.....	RSE-4.06r
4.06s	San Francisco.....	RSE-4.06s
4.06t	Seattle .....	RSE-4.06t
4.06u	Washington, DC .....	RSE-4.06u